

ALL OF 26TH DISCHARGED FROM ARMY

THE WEATHER

Boston and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday; cooler tonight, moderate winds, rain, 43 to 48, 48 to 52, 52 to 58, 58 to 64, 64 to 70, 70 to 76, 76 to 82, 82 to 88, 88 to 94, 94 to 100, 100 to 106, 106 to 112, 112 to 118, 118 to 124, 124 to 130, 130 to 136, 136 to 142, 142 to 148, 148 to 154, 154 to 160, 160 to 166, 166 to 172, 172 to 178, 178 to 184, 184 to 190, 190 to 196, 196 to 202, 202 to 208, 208 to 214, 214 to 220, 220 to 226, 226 to 232, 232 to 238, 238 to 244, 244 to 250, 250 to 256, 256 to 262, 262 to 268, 268 to 274, 274 to 280, 280 to 286, 286 to 292, 292 to 298, 298 to 304, 304 to 310, 310 to 316, 316 to 322, 322 to 328, 328 to 334, 334 to 340, 340 to 346, 346 to 352, 352 to 358, 358 to 364, 364 to 370, 370 to 376, 376 to 382, 382 to 388, 388 to 394, 394 to 400, 400 to 406, 406 to 412, 412 to 418, 418 to 424, 424 to 430, 430 to 436, 436 to 442, 442 to 448, 448 to 454, 454 to 460, 460 to 466, 466 to 472, 472 to 478, 478 to 484, 484 to 490, 490 to 496, 496 to 502, 502 to 508, 508 to 514, 514 to 520, 520 to 526, 526 to 532, 532 to 538, 538 to 544, 544 to 550, 550 to 556, 556 to 562, 562 to 568, 568 to 574, 574 to 580, 580 to 586, 586 to 592, 592 to 598, 598 to 604, 604 to 610, 610 to 616, 616 to 622, 622 to 628, 628 to 634, 634 to 640, 640 to 646, 646 to 652, 652 to 658, 658 to 664, 664 to 670, 670 to 676, 676 to 682, 682 to 688, 688 to 694, 694 to 700, 700 to 706, 706 to 712, 712 to 718, 718 to 724, 724 to 730, 730 to 736, 736 to 742, 742 to 748, 748 to 754, 754 to 760, 760 to 766, 766 to 772, 772 to 778, 778 to 784, 784 to 790, 790 to 796, 796 to 802, 802 to 808, 808 to 814, 814 to 820, 820 to 826, 826 to 832, 832 to 838, 838 to 844, 844 to 850, 850 to 856, 856 to 862, 862 to 868, 868 to 874, 874 to 880, 880 to 886, 886 to 892, 892 to 898, 898 to 904, 904 to 910, 910 to 916, 916 to 922, 922 to 928, 928 to 934, 934 to 940, 940 to 946, 946 to 952, 952 to 958, 958 to 964, 964 to 970, 970 to 976, 976 to 982, 982 to 988, 988 to 994, 994 to 1000.

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PAID REFUGEE

V LOAN IN DANGER NEW ENGLAND

Massachusetts and New England Lag; Quota Hardly One-Fourth Subscribed

New England has raised only 27 per cent of its quota in the Victory Loan. That startling fact confronted workers today after seven days of earnest endeavor and indeed the New England Liberty Loan Committee to put forth new efforts to make the remaining days count.

Only \$105,054.00 has been raised by New England, the last day's subscription having been \$11,000,000, of which amount Massachusetts contributed \$6,200,000. Vermont still leads New England. It has 51.5 per cent of its quota, while Connecticut has but 46 per cent, and Massachusetts only 26 per cent.

New England apparently is not the only section of the country that is lagging. There were openly expressed by treasury officials in Washington today that the Victory Loan might prove a failure. It was estimated that nationwide returns now total \$91,500,000 or less than one-fourth of the quota, with more than a third of the campaign time gone. Workers throughout the country are being urged to speed up and to improve upon the public the entire amount the country would face in the event of the loan falling short.

"BUNCH BUSTERS" BEYOND. Boston has done well in doing its best. Two delegates from the naval training station at Chatham were to have come here today to aid the loan. These left Chatham at 8:15 this morning, but due to unfavorable weather they were not able to arrive.

By National Service. PREMIER TO SEE U. S. IRISH DELEGATES SOON. Paris, April 28.—On account of the peace conference, Premier Lloyd George could not fulfill the promise he made to the Irish-American Commission composed of Messrs. Ryan, O'Donnell and Walsh. He announced, however, that he would see them in a few days.

By National Service. OLD DOMINION LINE. PRESIDENT A SUICIDE. William L. Woodrow, president of the Dominion Line, committed suicide today by shooting himself.

PERSHING GREET'S SON WITH A BEAR HUG



General Pershing and son with Secretary of War Baker on board the Leviathan at Brest. The boy went across with Secretary Baker. Photo copyright by International.

WILSON'S O.K. ON TURNING BACK OF WIRES

President Endorses Burleson Plan to Return Cables on May 10; Other Lines Later

By National Service. Washington, April 28.—President Wilson has called his approval of Postmaster General Burleson's recommendation that the cables be turned back to private ownership no later than May 10 and that the government relinquish control of the telephone and telegraph lines as soon as legislation can be secured from Congress to safeguard the interests of the owners. This was announced at the White House today.

By National Service. RAIN STOPS START OF BRITISH AT ST. JOHNS. St. John's, N. F., April 28.—Heavy rain and high winds, which began at 10:30, stopped the start of the British expedition to the island of St. John's.

By National Service. TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT. Boston bank clearing, \$1,000,000. New York bank clearing, \$1,000,000. New York bank clearing, \$1,000,000. New York bank clearing, \$1,000,000.

START FUND FOR TESTIMONIAL TO GOWDY

American Opens List So That Fans Can Show Appreciation for Hero

By National Service. Here is your big chance to show how much you think of basely great war hero. A player who gave up a high salary to join the major league shortly after the United States entered the war in order that he might take his part in the nation's fight in France. Ever since Frankie Gowdy came home with the Rainbow Division his thousands of friends throughout Boston and New England have been eager to do something to show how much they thought of him. And here is your opportunity.

By National Service. BOSTON BREATHES EASILY; MAYOR HAS NAMED THE BOY. Citizens of Boston, breathe free again. After three weeks and three days Mayor Peter has at last named his son, relieving the anxiety of friends who had begun to fear the youngster might go missing through the lack of news.

By National Service. PROBATION FOR BOYS WHO APPROPRIATED AUTO. Six Dorchester boys charged with unlawfully appropriating an automobile in the city of Boston, were placed on probation in lieu of bond.

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Great Enthusiasm at Ayer as Rest of 26th Division Is Demobilized

By National Service. The famous Yankee Division passed out of existence today. The last unit of the New England organization, which won fame second to none in the A. I. F., was demobilized shortly before 4 o'clock.

By National Service. LATE CABLE BULLETINS! Venice, April 28.—"Are you ready to fight again?" A thousandth cheer cheered "Yes, Viva l'Italia!" when Gabriele d'Annunzio asked this question in addressing a huge crowd here.

By National Service. DR. MAGRATH, MEDICAL EXAMINER, ASKS RAISE. Dr. Magrath, medical examiner for the city of Boston, has asked the committee on the salaries of the city's officers and employees for an increase of the salary of the medical examiner from \$4,000 to \$5,000.

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AMERICANS IN UNIFORM MUST QUIT ITALY

TO BUY 4,700 Acres for Permanent Devens Camp

The permanent War Department acquisition in Massachusetts of the government is about to purchase 4,700 acres of land at Camp Devens. This acquisition was made today at the headquarters of the Northern States Lumber Co.

By National Service. Thirty Others in British Service Injured in London Clash Over White Girls. A clash between a party of Americans and South Africans took place today at Whitehall, south of London, resulting in the death of three Americans and injuries to thirty.

By National Service. REPORT BILL TO PREVENT 'L' ZONE PLAN. The House of Representatives today passed a bill to prevent the 'L' zone plan.

By National Service. 40 KILLED BY SAN SALVADOR EARTHQUAKE. Washington, April 28.—Forty persons were killed, many were injured and heavy property damage done by an earthquake which occurred in San Salvador at 11 a. m. yesterday, the State Department has advised this afternoon.

INSIST ON SHANTUNG RIGHTS

Japanese Refuse Emphatically to Leave Chinese Peninsula They Seized During War

By National Service. Vienna, April 28.—All persons in Austrian uniform must leave Italy this week, according to information received by the Red Cross here.

By National Service. PARIS REPORTS SAID THAT RED CROSS WORKERS AND ALL OTHERS IN AUSTRIAN UNIFORM MUST LEAVE ITALY THIS WEEK, ACCORDING TO INFORMATION RECEIVED BY THE RED CROSS HERE.

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NINE HUMANE LABOR PRINCIPLES EMBODIED IN THE PEACE TREATY

EIGHT HOUR DAY, COLLECTIVE BARGAINING RECOGNIZED

By International News Service.
Washington, April 28.—Practically the same principles that have governed the awards of the National War Labor Board were adopted yesterday at the primary session of the peace conference in Paris for inclusion in the peace treaty along with the League of Nations.

These principles, the last of which were made public through the State Department this afternoon, call upon the nations of the League to adopt, as far as possible, the eight-hour day, one day of rest in seven, the payment of a living wage, equal pay for men and women doing the same work, the right of collective bargaining and the abolition of child labor.

The guiding principle should be, it is set forth, that labor is not merely a commodity or article of commerce.

Premier Robert Borden of Canada, as chairman of the commission on international labor, and were unanimously adopted.

TEXT OF PRINCIPLES.
The text of the principles follows:
"The high contracting parties recognizing that the well-being, phys-

ical, moral and intellectual, of industrial wage earners is of supreme international importance, have framed a permanent machinery associated with that of the League of Nations to further this great end.

"They recognize that difference of climate, habits and customs of economy, opportunity, and industrial conditions make strict uniformity in the conditions of labor difficult of immediate attainment.

"Holding as they do that labor is not regarded merely as an article of commerce, they think that there are methods and principles for the regulation of labor conditions which all industrial communities should endeavor to apply so far as their special circumstances will permit.

OF SPECIAL IMPORTANCE.
"Among these methods and principles, the following seem to be of special and urgent importance:

"First—The guiding principle should be that labor is not merely a commodity or article of commerce.

"Second—The right of association for all lawful purposes by the employed as well as by the employer.

"Third—The payment to the

DUNNE, NEW FIRST NAVAL DISTRICT CHIEF



Scene today at the navy yard, when Rear-Admiral Spencer S. Wood turned over his command to Rear-Admiral Herbert O. Dunne. Three other rear-admirals were present, all in this picture. From left to right, Rear-Admirals Spencer S. Wood, A. S. Snow, H. G. O. Colby, Cameron McR. Winslow and Herbert O. Dunne.

COAST ARTILLERY TRAIN COMING TO BOSTON

Look out for the Coast Artillery train. It is coming May 1, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel M. F. Sturges.

The train will be made up of a steam tractor, eight-inch howitzer, anti-aircraft gun, 20-mm. trench mortar, self-propelled searchlight, reconnaissance car, with radio and fire-control equipment, and one track engine equipped with the first coast artillery tractor to land in France and commanded the first battalion of 150 millimeter to be taken up by American.

ASK BOSTON FIRM BE DECLARED BANKRUPT

Three creditors, whose claims amount to more than \$50,000, have filed a petition in bankruptcy against Daniel S. Pratt & Co., wool dealers of No. 18 Summer street, Boston. The creditors and their claims are as follows: Webster Shilling Company, creditor of contract amount of \$10,000; J. W. A. Co., creditor of \$10,000; and Webster wool and labor, \$30,000. Last January the Pratt company made a general assignment for the benefit of the creditors to Guy W. Cook and George A. Parks Jr.

U. S. TO TEST NEED OF AUTO DRIVER'S LICENSE

Ralph Moore, driver of an auto mail truck belonging to the Post-office Department, was in the Brookline Court today on a continued hearing. He was found guilty of operating a motor truck in Brookline without a license. The case aroused interest about two weeks ago, when the government maintained that its drivers did not require a license from the State Highway Commission. The case was continued until tomorrow for sentence, when it is understood a fine will be imposed and will be contested by the Federal authorities.

"FRENCH FAIR" IN PARIS PROVES GREAT SUCCESS

Paris, April 28.—(By French government wireless)—The French fair, which has just opened here with 2,500 exhibitors in proving an extraordinary success in the eyes of the majority of foreigners in the city. The French fair, which is among the official visitors.

G. O. P. LEADERS IN SENATE TO FIGHT LEAGUE

A complete "show down" on the amended League of Nations covenant by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts and other old guard Republicans, leaders of the Senate, was demanded today by Republican Senators. It was stated that they would fight the modified document as objectionable as the original one.

FLYER IS KILLED AT KELLY FIELD

San Antonio, Tex., April 28.—Lieutenant C. B. Hines of Kelly Field, Tex., a flying instructor at Kelly Field, was killed and Colonel Mason was slightly injured in the fall of an airplane.

ITALIAN KING PROMISES TO HIS PEOPLE

awarded Italy under the pact of London, and the cities of Spain and Trau. United States Ambassador Paoli conferred with Venetian Orlando for the latter went to the Quirinal Palace, COVILLI BEARD FROM.

The Council of Fiume has telegraphed to Premier Orlando that it hands over its powers to the Italian State and King Victor Emmanuel and has "thus fulfilled Italy's destiny as a nation."

Just before the Parliament convened King Victor Emmanuel declared he was heart and soul with the Italian people in whatever they wanted, according to the report from Rome to the "Matin."

"I wish what my people wish," the Italian King was quoted as saying. "I shall support any action that Parliament may decide upon."

It is reported that Paris and London are not informed as to the real feeling in Italy, says a Rome dispatch. The King's declaration adds that all Italy is a solid bloc, unperturbed, unshaken, and constituting one.

The Italians are prepared for starvation, for death or death from invasion. No matter what the result, they will have to leave their traces, the Rome correspondence of the "Post" Journal believes.

Italians are demonstrating against American everywhere, according to a number of the American press, mission, who arrived in Paris today from Italy by way of Trieste and northern Italy.

In describing the effect of President Wilson's statement the American and Italian Red Cross officers who were given honorary commissions in the Italian army have been notified that all such commissions were cancelled.

The Italian situation was further aggravated today by the reported action of the Italian residents of Fiume voluntarily announcing "the annexation" of the city to Italy.

Travelers arriving here from northern Italy say that the economic situation is serious and that the Bolshevik movement seems to be making some progress.

Italian sympathizers with Bolshevism have been holding open meetings in some parts of northern Italy, and have expressed some of the principles of Lenin.

A dispatch from Rome to the "Matin" quoted the Italian leader, Chioss, as saying:

"To attach signatures to the peace treaty without Italy could be considered treason. If the city of Fiume is given to Italy, the government must be ready to negotiate for the port."

GERMAN TREATY ANTICULLED

The treaty of Versailles, which the German government concluded with the Bolsheviks and through which great concessions, as well as territory, were awarded the Germans, has been notified, according to a cable received in the peace treaty to be presented the German Reichstag next Saturday.

All other treaties concluded with Germany since her declaration of war on August 1, 1914, have also been abrogated.

CONVENES TO Decide for Peace or More War

By International News Service.
Rome, April 28.—The momentous session of the Italian Parliament which is to decide the nation's future territorial annexations generally on the Adriatic littoral opened this afternoon.

From hundred delegates had arrived in Rome before the hour for the session to begin and there were given mighty ovations. As the session began, there was a way to Parliament building they were preceded by cheering crowds.

Senator Sonnino, who arrived from Paris last night, was given a big demonstration. He made a speech, but did not touch on political matters.

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A particularly good looking, well tailored, silk lined box coat suit—silk braided and button trimmed. Navy, a few Pekin blue or tan. Sizes 16 to 38 only.

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Hand embroidered Palmers, skirts, silk top, pink or Princess slips, ruffled negligees, chemises, or white leather stiched or batiste palmers or embroidered "little Berties" bination.

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Liure, milan or fancy straw trimmed with colored feathers and flowers. Black and colors.

Goods must sell quickly or price drops DOWN 1/4 after 12 selling days, 1/2 after 24 selling days, 3/4 after 36 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days.

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"PUTTING THE NEXT ONE OVER"
WITH "DUSS" BAE

A FEW CABLEGRAMS.
Sergeant Joe Jazbo,
3034 Engineers, Coblenz, Germany.
Why don't you come home? The war's over.

MINNIE WURFER,
South Boston.
I know the war's over, but the war doesn't know it.

EVERYBODY'S home now except you and the Home Guards. What are
you doing?
Engineers didn't start fighting until the fighting was over. Go to stay
and count the gate receipts.

YOU better come home, I like you but I ain't going to marry any bald-
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RED SOX OUT
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Cambridge Colored Boy Subs
for Ahearn in Main Bout
at Opera House

RINGSIDE SELECTIONS
Joe Egan to beat George
Nichols.
Jimmy Duffy to beat Young
Vier.
Charley Brennan to beat Mack
Murphy.
Bert Jones to beat Young
Bee-

By RINGSIDE
George Robinson, dusky
Cambridge middleweight,
will take the place of
Young Ahearn against the
Egan of Dorchester.
Ahearn was obliged to cancel
the bout as a result of a fractured
right hand. He suffered the injury
in the recent fight with Paul Reid.

At the time he believed he had
overcome the trouble and was
about to return to the ring, he
met Hattie Nelson of Brooklyn at
the Casino. C. J. In the
morning, he was seen at the
clubhouse as much as his
manager, but he did not fight.

Ahearn has also fought at his
home in Dorchester and
Robinson should make a good
substitute for Ahearn. He
has been in the ring for
some time and has a good
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The Cambridge middleweight
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SCHOOLBOY SPORTS
April 29

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Battle Forty Seconds Before
Close—All Leonard

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The Judge Is So Trusting



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MITCHELL CLAIMS CUBS WILL WIN THE PENNANT AGAIN

By FRED MITCHELL.
(President and Head man of the Cubs.)

Three elements stand I see the 1919 National League pennant for the Cubs. They are:

1. Pitchers.
2. Catchers.
3. General team balance.

I do not lack men but I would trade five present in line-up of the team for three pitchers. I ever was in major league baseball off course, a better start might result in early season if all put here available at some period in the past but I do not believe a better corps ever worked up any team equal to ours.

The second element I need is a catcher. I don't care in the Cubs' pitching line. I wish we had another right-handed one as pinch hitter. The fact that Douglas and Hendrix both are hitters is a slight drawback, but we have so much more power in the box than any other National League club that it is very safe his departure.

As for the catchers, it hardly is necessary for me to comment upon the quality of the catching done by several big men — and critics say "Tommy" is the best in the game. I am going to get along with myself and my boys during with speed now and later, and I will not let them down.

There is always new a collection of inside material that is awaiting the opportunity to go down.

Cubs are likely to endanger our position.

I cannot see why the Cubs will not return. The more I think of it the more I believe we will. We are fortified in all departments, with first base men for each job, even a sacrifice around home plate.

Our club is well trained and prepared to play good ball.

BOBBY JOSEPHS HAS BIG EDGE ON DELMONT

By RINGSIDE

All Delmont veteran North End boxer, it is day primary opinion that there is something in the water. Lenon judge who said it you must be back in a box ring. Had by boxer of the North End had no doubt about it. He defeat in their own back yard. The 26-

It was Joseph's fight from start to finish. He had every round. As a result the task of Referee Arty

This is the first of a series of articles which Mr. Corbett is writing and covers the negligible career of Jake Kilgus, one of the greatest heavyweights that America—or any other country—ever produced.

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AMATEUR NEWS NOTES

Games with shop and semi-pro teams are desired in the Wood town of New Haven. Manager T. J. K. No. 1, 1st street, New Haven, Conn.

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MEN'S *Filene's* SHOPS



**Uncle Sam taught you
what to look for in
clothes; all that's left
is where to go—here!**

You know how you made the
Kenies hold up their fists!
Now hop on the Filene escalator,
blow in here sudden-like and show
us up!

Pin a Missouri button on your
uniform—show us you know beau-
tiful good stuff when you lamp
it—see whether we've got it, or
if we're only stalling!

The way we'll slide you into a
"civic" suit that's got class pinned
all over it, and yet won't set you
back a great deal, will sure make
you bat your eyes for fair.

It's your move, Mr. YD tuff!

*Your divisional insignia
sewed inside every garment
bought here; a fine, refined thing;
free, too; and in the natural colors.*

Men's suits, \$25 to \$65; Stein-Bloch, \$35 to \$65; Men's top coats, \$20 to \$60; Stein-Bloch, \$30 to \$45
second floor by men's escalator

Began Career as Boxer
in Somerville Mill.

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Joe Kelly's Play Nipping Young Feature of Giants' Opener

The best play of the third was featured by Kelly in the third. With Young on first and Cass on second, Kelly hit a home run to left of the lot and Young was awarded a sacrifice fly to right. The score, however, was 1-0 in favor of the home team. The home team's first inning was a complete waste of time. The home team's first inning was a complete waste of time.

mirers will respond as quickly to this call as the Ohio athlete did to the great summons of Uncle Sam.

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Heinies hold up their fists!

Now hop on the Filene escalator, blow in here sudden-like and show us up!

Pin a Missouri button on your uniform—show us you know beaucoup good stuff when you lamp it—see whether we've got it, or if we're only stalling!

The way we'll slide you into a "civic" suit that's got class pinned all over it, and yet won't set you back a great deal, will sure make you bat your eyes for fair.

It's *your* move, Mr. YD tuff!

With Hume's Bill is too good a man to keep out of the game, but I must not afford to let off a right-headed fellow like him. There for

[illegible]

These new Brave sweaters appear very nice on the non-workers who

George Burns was lucky early in the game. First, the ball was a 2-4 and he was in a hot hitting mood. He was dropped between 2 and 3 because

**CORNELL OAKSMEN ARE
FAR BEHIND IN WORK**

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Your divisional insignia

Men's suits, \$25 to \$65; Stein-

Krazy Kat

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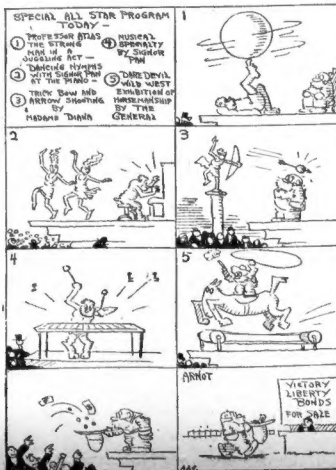
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THE GENERAL:

He Knows How to Get the Dough and What to Do with It

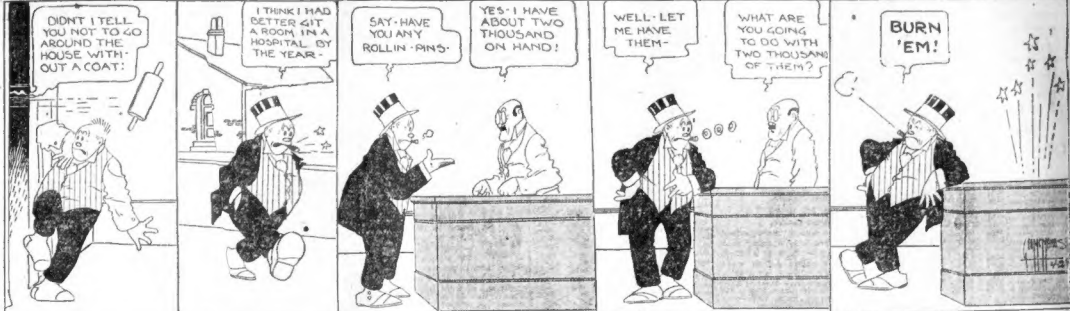
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BRINGING UP FATHER

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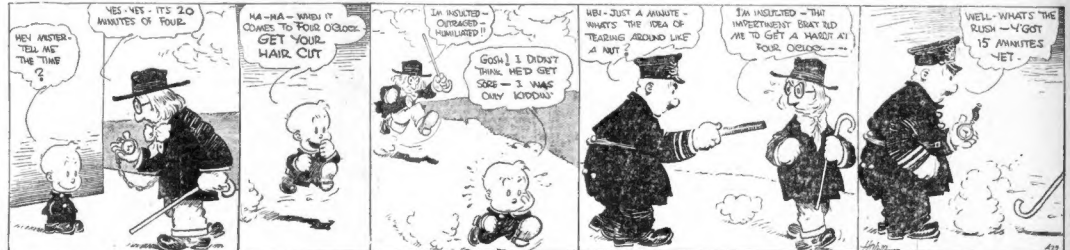
By George McManus



JERKY ON THE JOB

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It Was Needed, All Right



ABIE THE AGENT

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Must Make a Compliment That Way



POLLY AND HER PALS

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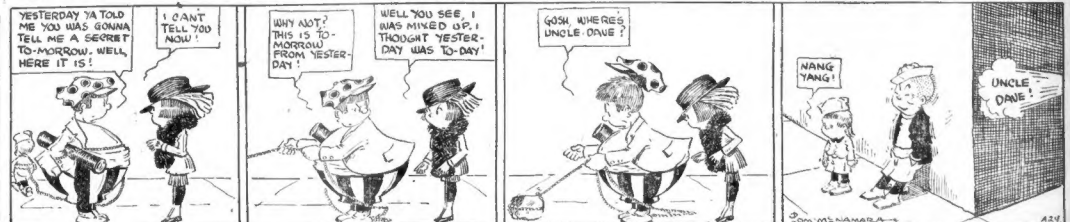
Poor Polly—All Her Trouble Wasted



US BOYS

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Shrimp is responsible for All skinny's Troubles



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There's no way to keep Tab on Grandpop



Distinguished Service

The Yankee Division parade put the Boston Police Department to a severe test. That test was met in superb manner.

The influx of visitors from all over New England, the crowded hours of the parade itself and the homeward rush of the biggest throngs in Boston history combined to form a problem difficult for any metropolitan police force.

The Boston police proved themselves more than equal to the long, hard task. In addition to their general efficiency in a thousand and one details of the whole parade period, there was a gratifying courtesy that reflected all the more credit upon the department.

The record-breaking crowd was not easy to handle. It included tens of thousands of strangers, old and young, from the New England countryside. These were unaccustomed to city ways, traffic rules and the quick, brisk conduct of urban life. They had guidance all questions to ask in a city whose winding streets make guidance all the more complicated.

The crowd, both from within and without, was eager and enthusiastic, ready to be impatient of necessary restraint along the parade route.

Infinite tact was necessary to the best policing of this enormous holiday mass. The Boston police combined tact, or everyday politeness, with business-like control and efficiency. The streams of humanity, which flowed in and out of the city, were kept running with smooth currents.

This is a mighty fine advertisement for Boston. It spreads good report of our city to every corner of New England. It is another Boston asset.

As a matter of fact, the police handling of Boston crowds through the parade period was superior to the boasted efficiency of New York's "Finest." When the Twenty-seventh Division paraded in Manhattan the New York police handled their crowds ably, it is true, but not with the same unflinching courtesy and politeness that the Boston police displayed last week. The Boston blues had all the efficiency of his New York brother, but lubricated it with an oil of courtesy that eased points of contact.

Compliments are due Police Commissioner Edwin U. Curtis and Superintendent Michael H. Crowley, as executive officers of the department. But the general public came into direct touch with the great body of patrolmen. The credit for the splendid parade time record goes to the entire department.



Italy Played a Decisive Part in the Great War

Italy's action in quitting the Peace Conference should not be judged too harshly.

It should not be forgotten that when the war broke out the Central Empires based their calculations of victory upon two prime factors.

One of these was the expectation that Great Britain would remain neutral.

The other was the expectation that Italy would remain neutral. The Central Empires not only expected that Italy would remain neutral, but also expected that Italian neutrality would be a benevolent neutrality, favoring the Central Powers.

Italy, as a matter of fact, did remain neutral until March, 1915, but the neutrality practiced by the Italian Government was benevolent toward the Allies and not toward the Central Powers.

Very early in the conflict the Italian Government gave the Allied Governments to understand that Italy under no circumstances would side with the Central Empires.

Had Italy not done so it would have been necessary for the French to have maintained a large force in order to guard against a possible attack through the Italian Alps.

Had the French thus been compelled to divide their forces in the beginning of the war German armies would almost certainly have broken through the French lines in the north and completed their rush upon Paris.

Nor was this the only service which Italy rendered, even before she made common cause with the Allies. The policy of Italy in denouncing the Triple Alliance and in maintaining a benevolent neutrality toward the Allies compelled the Austro-Hungarian Government to maintain a very large force upon the border facing Italy.

Not less than four hundred thousand Austro-Hungarian troops were thus held idle during the full time when the Russian offensive, under the command of the Grand Duke Nicholas, was being rushed across Galicia and was threatening Germany in East and West Prussia.

Rightly esteeming the Italian troops as better fighting material than the Russian, the power of the Austro-Hungarian army was kept upon the Italian border, while the inferior forces recruited from Bohemia, Galicia, and the discontented Slav and Ruthenian provinces were sent to stem the Russian attack.

The net result was that the Russian invaders overwhelmed the inferior Austro-Hungarian forces and thus compelled the German General Staff to send reinforcements from the western front, which forced weakening of the German offensive and resulted in the final check along the line of the Marne and the Aisne.

The effectiveness of the assistance given to the Allies by Italy is beyond any dispute.

And it is quite natural that the Italians should now demand the price which Russia, France and England promised to pay for that assistance.

The Italian point of view is that the treaty of London, made in 1915, is just as binding upon the other Allies as any other treaty made either before or after the beginning of the war.

We do not mean to say that there is no room for argument over the differences which have arisen between Italy and the representatives of Great Britain, France and the United States at Paris.

What we do mean is this: That it is wrong to assume hastily that the Italians have no real standing in the court of the world's public opinion.

Mother Is Right

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The Frog Pond

By Morton Birze

USEFUL AS WELL AS ORNAMENTAL.
The high school rapper, who appears with hair pulled out to hide her ears, may be surprised to know, perhaps, that soldiers call her "Frog Pond."

OTHELLO'S OCCUPATION GONE.
Spring display at Arnold Arboretum is enhanced by several specimens of the Japanese weeping cherry tree in full bloom. These cherry trees are weeping harder than ever this year at the prospective passing of their old business associate, Messrs. Manhattan, Martini & Company.

YOU NEVER CAN TELL.
Dealer in gravestones advertises: "Good for catalogue and designs and prices. No job now."

HOT WATER BOOM.
Road salesmen of hot water heaters report a rushing business in the "mountain" whiskey districts of the South, especially West Virginia. The article mountaineers are buying heaters with double copper coils, which are easily convertible into illicit "still" stills. One salesman sold two carloads of "heaters" in one West Virginia county alone. Revenue officers are greatly interested in this sudden passion of the mountaineers for hot water equipment. They are watchfully waiting the use of the same.

THE REVENUE OFFICER'S HIDDEN MEANING IS LOVELY.
The revenue officer's hidden meaning is lovely. "Palm of Life," especially in the form of a palm tree.

Let us, then, be up and doing. With a heart for my tale; STILL achieving, STILL pursuing. Learn to labour and to wait.

CALL ME EARLY, COLONEL DEAR.
Reveille was sounded at 6 a. m. at Camp Devens yesterday. Nobody had to be called twice. The early call was for demobilization.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Violation
Editor Boston American:
There are indications that the recent attempt will be made to put upon the State House of some of the State laws which will make it possible to subject the expert water work living animals to governmental supervision.
These are particularly drawing public attention to this freedom of the attention from the law which otherwise would be denied dependent from man's wilderness. The experiments with rats by Professor John B. Watson, related to a meeting in New York city of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, raised a storm of protest throughout the land. This investigator conspicuously deprived a rat of its eyes, its olfactory organs, its sense of hearing, taste, its feet, and otherwise robbed it of the use of

Y^e TOWN GOSSIP

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By K. C. B.

I HAD just started to work.
AND HAD put the paper in the typewriter.
AND JEAN came over.
WITH HER little girl Jerry.
AND JEAN said:
"I HOPE I won't disturb you."
AND I said: "Certainly not."
AND JERRY went over to a table.
AND PULLED some books onto the floor.
AND PICKED out a little one.
AND CAME over to me and said:
"UNCLE KEN, read the book."
AND I tried to drive her off.
BUT I couldn't do it.
AND SHE crawled up on my lap.
AND PUT her feet in my typewriter.
AND REPEATED:
"UNCLE KEN, read the book."
AND I handed it to me.
AND THE title of the book was "The Ruckling Book."
AND I was a lot of bother.
BY CHRISTOPHER Morley.
AND I read the first one.
AND JERRY intoned:
BUT SHE hadn't any idea.
WHAT IT was all about.
BUT IT pleased me.
AND I turned the page.
AND READ the second one.
AND JERRY still intoned.
AND THEN I said:
"IF WE're going to read them all."
"LET'S GET in a big chair."
AND WE moved.
AND I kept on reading.
AND TURNING the pages.
AND JERRY lay there.
WITH HER eyes wide open.
AND PRETENDING she knew.
WHAT THEY were all about.
BUT SHE didn't.
UNTIL WE got to the one.
WHERE CHRISTOPHER said:

WIVES WHO CAN FILL JOB OF MARRIAGE

By Winifred Black

The married woman was just going to pour out another cup of tea for herself when she happened to glance at her wrist watch.
"Oh!" she said, "I cannot wait a minute. Jim will be getting anxious, and when he gets anxious he forgets, and if there's anything I have on earth it's a fifty man."

And before we could say aye, yes or no she had pulled down her veil and adjusted her hat, slipped on her gloves and was gone.

"There," said her dearest friend, "she's what I like about Jim. She's always on to her job and she always attends strictly to it."

"John" echoed the prettiest girl in the room who was just married.
"She is married," said the dearest friend, "and if you don't like marriage a job, you don't know much about it. Sometimes it is a good job and sometimes it is a bad one, but it is always a job, and real clever women make a profession of it."

"Jim" gave up a fine position when she married. She has married a good man. He gives her a beautiful home, plenty of leisure and a great deal of affection and confidence, a fine position and the money and support of a good man's love. Jane thinks it's her job to show him she appreciates it.

"Jim" hates to come home from the office and find his wife out to a tea or a meeting or a matinee, so Jane always makes it a point to be at home when Jim gets there.

"Why not?" It is part of her job.

Sometimes she has to take the last act of a good play, or get away without hearing all of the latest gossip—but, sometimes she could not go to the matinee at all before she was married, and she didn't expect to. She kept office hours, so she looks after her own job just as if she were being paid for it.

Do You Agree?
Why not? It is not her business to make the man who takes such good care of her happy and contented and pleased with her and with his home and with himself.

"Of course it is, and it's good business, too. No man can do good work downtown unless he is happy, upturned, or over-tired, or wherever it is in life when he's at home. No man can get very far in the world, except the selfish, silly, self-centered wife flitting away her time in idle amusement instead of helping him out as a good partner should."

"I'm for Jane and Jane's kind of a wife. Some day you are going to hear of Jimmy Quon here in a high position, and one of the reasons he gets there will be that Jane had sense enough to stick to her job."

I agreed with everything that Jane's friend said. I wonder if you do.

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QUEENS NAMED Mary
It is rather remarkable that of the Queens named Mary in English history were present Majesty is the only one who has attained her present age while Queen. Mary the First, Queen Regent, died at forty.

Mary the Second, Queen here with William the Third, died at thirty-two. Mary of Modena, though she lived to be sixty, spent four years with James the Second at flight, while Mary Queen of Scots was executed at forty-five.

It may be noted further that her Majesty shares with King William the Third's career the distinction of being the only English queen who was crowned.

There is a strange incident in the life of the late Queen Victoria. It is said that she was once asked to sign the Letters of Nations. The same answer says that if Italy takes Rome she may find herself the first nation at war with the League of Nations. Let us hope that that is nonsense.

If Italy had not held back Austria and Germany, protecting the northeastern frontier of France, even before she entered the war, the German might have been in Paris and THIRTY years treaty might have been signed long ago.

Nations do queer things, but it will be many a year before a UNITED STATES weapon of war will be aimed at anything but a fellow nation.

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Today

Earth's Greatest Trial
A Wonder Landlord
Fight Italy? Hardly

By Arthur Brisbane

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The Kaiser that was will be brought to judgment. He is to have a separate trial, his officers go before a lower court. Even Justice takes the bundle from her eyes for a second and says:
"Hello, here's a Kaiser, something special for him."
He will be tried, not for CRIME, but for "supreme offense against international morality and security of treaties." Elaborate use of words there.

Either the Kaiser committed murder when he got ready and declared war, or he didn't.

It will be a fine trial. Each of five nations, the United States, England, France, Italy and Japan, will name a judge. Where will they find a Burke, with a speech of impeachment to make ladies faint in the galleries. And where will you find a newswoman as good as Macaulay to describe the great speech?

The world never saw a trial in compare with that of the former Kaiser.

The trial of Louis XVI was a farce. The trial of Charles First was a single handed lynching by Cromwell.

This will be a different performance. They will let the Kaiser dress as he pleases, presumably. Who can doubt that he will appear in his uniform as commander-in-chief of the armies of the Prussian kingdom and the German empire, with his moustache curling upward, and whatever fighting blood he has inherited from the Hohenzollerns flaming in his eyes.

He will look at one American, one Italian, one Frenchman, one Japanese and one Britishman, picked out for his own first court. King George of Great Britain. He will stare at those five faces, and the fifteen hundred million people who live on this earth will stare with him. For the first time in all the world's history the peoples of the world will judge one of the leaders of the world.

Never was there such a trial, and never probably will there be another. And never since Lucifer was there such a fall.

The sympathy of millions of Americans, in and out of uniform, are with Samuel Gompers, injured and in serious danger.

After many years of hard work, Mr. Gompers owns little else than the satisfaction of having faithfully served his nation. The work that he has done in any other line would have made him a rich man. But in his other work, he had made a million-dollar mistake. He had made a million-dollar mistake. He had made a million-dollar mistake.

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